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SUBJECT: STATUS OF JORDAN BRIDGES AND AIR TRAFFIC FROM LOD

REF: JERUSALEM 1073

1. IT HAS BEEN UNCLEAR THIS MORNING WHETHER JORDAN BRIDGES WERE OPEN AND WHETHER FLIGHTS WERE LIKELY TO BE LEAVING LOD AIRPORT. SOME TRAVEL AGENTS TOLD US BRIDGES WERE CLOSED, AND OTHERS SAID VEHICLES HAD CROSSED EARLIER TODAY. WE UNDERSTAND FROM EMBASSY TEL AVIV THAT ISRAELI AUTHORITIES STATED BRIDGES ARE OPEN, AND WE ASSUME THAT IT IS DEFINITIVE INFORMATION FOR TIME BEING AT LEAST. NEWS REPORTS ANNOUNCED THAT LOD WAS CLOSED ALTHOUGH SOME EL AL FLIGHTS WERE SAID TO HAVE TAKEN OFF EARLY IN DAY. DUTCH CONGEN TOLD US SOME OF HIS CITIZENS HAD BOOKED ON EL AL FLIGHT LATER TODAY, HOWEVER. ON CHECKING WITH EL AL, WE WERE TOLD THAT THEY WERE UNCERTAIN WHETHER ANY FLIGHTS WOULD TAKE OFF TODAY BUT TO KEEP CHECKING. EVEN IF A FEW PLANES SHOULD GET OFF, HOWEVER, BULK OF TOURISTS NOW IN JERUSALEM WILL PROBABLY HAVE TO WAIT UNTIL OPENING OF AIRPORT.

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